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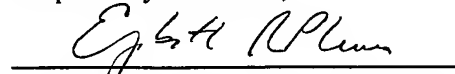
Please amend the claims as follows:

Please cancel the following claims: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 30, 32, 33, 36, 39, 40, 43, 44, and 48.

REMARKS

Prior to calculating the claims fees, we request that the claims be amended as described above.  
No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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